

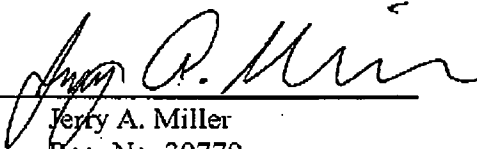
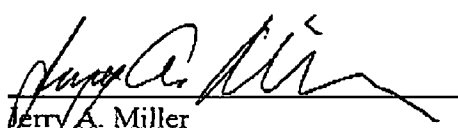
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<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER</b> <i>AFTER FINAL</i>				Attorney Docket No: SNY-T5463.01		
Application Serial Number: 10/616,344		Filing Date: 7/9/2003		Examiner: RIVAS, SALVADOR E		Art Unit: 2619
Invention: CARRIER MANAGEMENT FOR A NETWORK						
TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS: Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.						
<b>CLAIMS AS AMENDED</b>						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	NO. OF EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	14	MINUS	30	0	\$50	\$0
INDEP. CLAIMS	2	MINUS	5	0	\$210	\$0
<p>_____ Petition is hereby made under 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the time for response to the Office Action of <u>4/15/2008</u> to and through _____, comprising an extension of the shortened statutory period of:</p> <p>_____ one month (\$120.00)                      _____ three months (\$1,050.00)</p> <p>_____ two months (\$460.00)                      _____ four months (\$1,640.00)</p>						
<b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT</b>						<b>\$0.00</b>
<p>_____ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.</p> <p>_____ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.</p> <p>_____ A check in the amount of \$_____ is attached.</p> <p><u>  X  </u> Charge <u>any underpayment for this submission</u> to Deposit Account <u>50-1267</u>.</p> <p><u>  X  </u> No additional fee is required.</p> <p>_____ <u>5/8/2008</u> Date</p> <p align="right"> Jerry A. Miller Reg. No. 30779</p> <p>I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage for first class mail in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, or the correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the USPTO, on <u>5/8/2008</u>.</p> <p align="right"> Jerry A. Miller Reg. No. 30779</p>						

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Signature: /Jerry A. Miller 30779/ Date: 5/8/08

**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS:**

This communication is responsive to the Office Action dated 4/15/2008 in which claims 32-34 were found allowable over the art, and the remaining claims were rejected. Applicant(s) respectfully traverse the rejections and request reconsideration in view of the following.

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